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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: M. Wallerson
YOSHINOBU SHIRAIWA)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2626
Application No.: 09/062,552)	
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Filed: April 20, 1998)	
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For: IMAGE OUTPUT CONTROL)	
APPARATUS	:	September 13, 2004

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated May 13, 2004 for one month from August 13, 2004 to September 13, 2004.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$110.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

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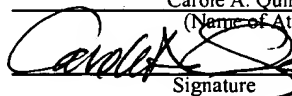
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September 13, 2004
Date of Signature

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa,
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